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Dear Sir:

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Examiner: Jean M. Corrielus

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PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(A))

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Applicant respectfully requests a two month extension of time to respond to the office action dated December 5, 2003. The original time for response was set to expire March 5, 2004.

Should any additional fees be necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit any such fees or overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 50-1901** (Reference #60021-331301).

Respectfully submitted,

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